News to You - Weekly Newsletter

A Message from the Head Teacher

Week 2 - Spring Term - 18/01/19

Dear Parents/Carers

This week has been a lovely week in school for our 'Careers and Aspirations' week. We have had a range of visitors and visits to support us with this as well as interesting learning going on in lessons. A big thank you to any parents who helped arranged links with careers and businesses, we really appreciate it. The RNLI came in to talk to our Year 1/2 pupil on Thursday and the Fire Brigade came in to speak to our pupils and they brought a Fire Engine so pupils could have a look and see them using the water hoses and they got the opportunity to sit in the truck and beep the horn. Our Year 5/6 pupils had an absolutely fantastic visit to Hartlepool College of FE which involved visiting the gym, beauty salon, helicopters, cars and a plane! A big thank you to the College for allowing us to visit and spark lots of exciting ideas about future careers for our pupils. We also had Rebecca from the West View Project in school to talk to the pupils about developing our Junior Inspectors team. The team will undergo a recruitment process and the pupils will then be trained to carry out inspections to evaluate our local communities and places in our town and provide feedback. It is a really exciting project that we are very pleased to be part of. It will be great to hear from our junior inspectors feeding back on our newsletter in the future.

The snow has reminded us of the bad weather that we had last year. Can we please ask pupils to bring warm coats and cloth-

ing to school in the cold weather as we like our pupils to enjoy the snow and the outdoors as much as possible. We also remind everyone that should the schools ever need to close again due to the poor weather then parents would be notified by the school social media pages, by text message to the number held on Parent Pay and shared with Hartlepool Borough Council who would share it on their social media channels and website. Fingers crossed though that the weather is a little kinder to us this year!

Finally, we say Goodbye to our caretaker Mrs. Stephenson today. She is staying with Hartlepool Borough Council but is leaving us for a different role in the Council and we wish her all the best. Our pupils bid farewell to her in assembly yesterday and she enjoyed a special event after school last night to celebrate the 18 years she has been with our school and wishing her all the best for the future. I'm sure you will join me in wishing her well.

Wishing all of our families a lovely weekend.

Mrs. Heaton

Dates for your Diary and other Information...

Friday 18th January—World Religion Day Tuesday 5th February—Chinese New Year—Children will be able to sample a selection of Chinese food Tuesday 12th February - Friends of Hart school disco 6pm till 7.30pm - Early Years and Year 1/2 to be accompanied by an adult. Tuesday 5th March - Red Cross training for Year 5/6 pupils

Any parents/carers wishing to speak with Mrs Hill at any time should contact the school office to arrange a mutually agreeable time.



Award Winners...

Star of the Week Early Years - Amelia Laybourn Year 1/2 - Luca Taylor Year 3/4 - Macy Jay Kinnersley Year 5/6 - Alfie Crosbie

Golden Quill

Early Years - Jack Warrington Year 1/2 - Annabelle Bramley Year 3/4 - Maddison King Year 5/6 - Freya Pounder

Maths Award

Early Years - Ava Myers Year 1/2 - Will Stanworth Year 3/4 - Sam Warrington Year 5/6 - Ava Thompson

Hart Citizen

Early Years - Hattie Thompson Year 1/2 - Sam Cooper Year 3/4 - Grace Appleton Year 5/6 - Joseph Greener